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Issue Date.: May 18, 2004)
For: USE OF AN ORGANOMETALLIC)
COMPOUND TO PROTECT)
AND/OR STRENGTHEN A)
KERATIN MATERIAL, AND)
TREATMENT PROCESS)

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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254, and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a request for a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. The mistakes identified in the appended Form occurred through the fault of the Patent Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent.

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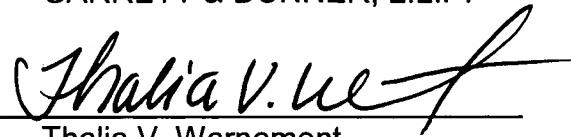
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